

Remarks/Arguments

Reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the present amendment is respectfully submitted. By the present amendment, claim 12 has been canceled. Applicant respectfully acknowledges that claims 1-11 and 13-14 are allowed.

Specification Objections

The Abstract was objected to for using legal phraseology, e.g., comprises, consist of, means, and said. The Abstract has been amended to remove such recitations and, thus, it is believed that the objection to the Abstract has been overcome.

The disclosure was objected to because of informalities. In particular, the specification 1) omitted reference to previously filed related applications and 2) made reference to the claims by number. The specification has been amended to correct these informalities and, thus, it is believed that the objection to the specification has been overcome.

Claim Rejections under 35 U.S.C. §112

Claim 12 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph, as being indefinite. Claim 12 has been canceled and, thus, the rejection of claim 12 is moot.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the above-identified application is in condition for allowance, and allowance of the application is respectfully requested.

Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the fees for this
amendment to our Deposit Account No. 20-0090.

Respectfully submitted,

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